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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 204

By Graves

A RESOLUTION To honor and recognize Berkley Margaret Voss,
2001 Salutatorian of White House High School.

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students, who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Berkley Margaret Voss is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2001 graduating class at White House High School; and

WHEREAS, Through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Voss has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, During her remarkable high school career, Miss Voss earned an outstanding 4.582 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Berkley Margaret Voss is an active part of her school and her community; she is a member of the Beta, Key, and Latin Clubs and the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Miss Voss is a highly respected leader among her peers; she was the Captain of the Math Team during her Junior year, and she is the Vice President of the Latin Club; and

WHEREAS, This talented young lady has received numerous honors during her high school years, including the Junior Class Math and English Awards; for four consecutive years, she has been listed in *Who's Who Among Young Americans*; and

WHEREAS, An active and devout Christian, Miss Voss is a leader in her congregation's youth group, participating in Total Youth Ministry; an outstanding role model for her peers, she serves as Character Education Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, Miss Voss's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her mother, Mary Virginia Bastian, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Berkley Margaret Voss's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success in college and throughout her life; and

WHEREAS, Her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Berkley Margaret Voss, the 2001 Salutatorian of White House High School, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.